

Call for Papers

# Indiana Association of Historians

## 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting

In conjunction with the Beyond Boundaries Indiana Academies Symposium  
Indiana Convention Center  
100 S. Capitol Avenue  
Indianapolis, Indiana

**Saturday, April 4, 2020**

The 2020 Program Committee of the Indiana Association of Historians (IAH) invites proposals from college and university professors, graduate students, K-12 history educators, public historians, and independent scholars for individual papers, panels, and roundtable discussions on any historical theme for the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the IAH, which will be held on Saturday, April 4, 2020, at the Indiana Convention Center in Indianapolis. The conference will take place in conjunction with the Beyond Boundaries Indiana Academies Symposium (<https://go.iu.edu/2abh>), initiated as part of Indiana University's Bicentennial programming, and thus will offer a unique platform to share and promote cross-disciplinary and boundary-breaking research, discussion, and collaboration related to the field of history.

Individual papers (approximately 10 double-spaced pages/2500 words, taking no longer than twenty minutes to present) should be based upon original research, but may also synthesize previous scholarship or be drawn from participant experience. Panels should consist of two or three papers, leaving time for comments from a designated commentator and the audience. Roundtable discussion proposals should focus upon a central theme and include a list of participants with short biographies.

Submissions should include a one-page proposal with the author's name, institutional affiliation, paper title, and brief description (250 words or less), along with a one-page C.V./résumé for each participant. Panel and roundtable discussion proposals should be submitted as a single document. All materials and any questions should be submitted electronically to Steven Stofferahn (Program Committee Chairperson) via e-mail attachment at [stofferahn@indstate.edu](mailto:stofferahn@indstate.edu). The deadline for the submission of proposals is **December 1, 2019**. The Program Committee will notify those whose submissions have been accepted by January 15, 2020. Participants must register for the conference and IAH membership, and must also present their findings in person.

The IAH will award two \$500 prizes at the meeting. The James H. Madison Best Article Prize will be awarded to the author of the best article published in the *Indiana Magazine of History* during the preceding calendar year. The Walter Nugent Graduate Student Paper Prize will be given to the finest graduate student paper. The winners of these awards will be selected by a prize committee. In order to be considered for the Nugent Prize, complete papers must be submitted via e-mail attachment to Steven Stofferahn at [stofferahn@indstate.edu](mailto:stofferahn@indstate.edu) no later than March 1, 2020.